

1901-022 Chancery Causes: J. O. Gibson vs. Mary E. Blankenship, et  
Lee Co.

Weston, Crockett

CA-Estate Dispute  
T-Property



Virginia,

In the Circuit Court of Lee County.

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To the Hon. W. T. Miller, Judge of said Court:-

-----Humbly complaining, your orator,  
J. O. Gibson, sheweth unto your honor, that M. H. Crockett, departed  
this life intestate on the---day of-----189---; that Mrs. M.  
E. Crockett qualified as his administratrix in the County Court of Lee  
County, Virginia, on the---day of-----189---; that she has  
never settled her account as such administratrix and that by reason of  
her marriage her office as such administratrix became vacant on the---  
day of August 1895; that W. P. Weston, Sheriff of said county was there-  
after appointed administrator de bonis non of said estate; that said  
personal estate is wholly insufficient to pay its indebtedness; that  
the said M. H. Crockett executed to your orator his promissory note on  
the 18th day of July 1892, due one day after the date thereof for the  
sum of fifty (\$50.00) dollars, which note is wholly unpaid.

-----Your orator further represents that the said M. H.  
Crockett died seized and possessed of one moiety in a house and lot  
situated in the West end of Jonesville, on the North side of Main St.;  
which was purchased from and conveyed to him and his wife M. E. Crock-  
ett jointly by John P. Graham and wife on the --day of -----189--;  
that he left M. E. Crockett, his widow, and the following children, who  
are infants, to-wit: Mill, Auburn, Carroll and Hal Crockett.

-----The said M. E. Crockett, who has since married  
George W. Blankenship, is entitled to a moiety in said property and  
dower in the other moiety.

-----The prayer of your orator is that M. E. Blankenship  
nee M. E. Crockett, in her own right and as administratrix of M. H.



Crockett, deceased, W. P. Weston, administrator de bonis non of M. H. Crockett, deceased, and Hill Crockett, Auburn Crockett, Carroll Crockett and Hal Crockett be made parties defendant to this bill and answer the same upon oath; that a Commissioner be appointed to ascertain the ~~indebtedness~~ indebtedness of said estate, settle the account of the said administrators and report the real estate owned by said M. H. Crockett at the time of his death and the value of the dower of the said M. E. Blankenship, in said real estate; that general relief be granted your orator, and as in duty bound he will ever pray. May the Commonwealth's writ of Spa issue, etc., directed, etc., and that a Guardian Ad Litem be appointed to answer for the infant defendants.

Orn. Blankenship, P.C.



J. O. Gibson

vs } Bill

M. E. Blankenship et al

Grr & Blankenship,  
P. G.

1896 1st May ruled bill  
filed ~~Spa~~ <sup>Spa</sup> ~~at~~ <sup>at</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~court~~ <sup>court</sup>  
11 2nd May ruled ~~at~~ <sup>at</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~court~~ <sup>court</sup>  
Copyd + Cause set for  
hearing.



\$5000  
One day after dated  
from me & bind my  
self my heir & assigns  
to pay J. O. Gibson fifty  
dollars for amt as a  
loan from Preston  
Lodge No 47. Said amt.  
to bear interest from  
date. This July 18<sup>th</sup> 1892.

M. H. Crockett

Seal



M H Crook  
etc.

\$5000



In the Circuit Court of the County of Lee :

The answer of Hill Crockett, Auburn Crockett, Canall Crockett & Hal Crockett.

infants under the age of twenty-one years, by R. L. Pennington (a discreet and competent attorney at law), their guardian *ad litem* assigned to defend them in this suit, and the answer of the said R. L. Pennington, guardian *ad litem* of the said infant defendants, to a bill of complaint exhibited against the said infants and others by J. O. Gibson in the Circuit Court of the County of Lee,

For answer to the said bill the said infant defendants by their said guardian *ad litem* answer and say that being of tender years they do not know what their true interests are in relation to the subject matter of the said bill, nor do they know whether the statements therein contained are true or not. They confide the protection of their interests therein to the care of the court. And the said guardian *ad litem* of the said infant defendants for answer to the said bill answers and says that he knows nothing as to the truth or falsity of the statements in the bill contained. He prays full protection for the infant defendants. And now having fully answered, these defendants pray to be hence dismissed with their costs, etc.

Hill Crockett.  
Auburn Crockett.  
Canall Crockett.  
Hal Crockett.

By R. L. Pennington  
Guardian *ad litem*.

R. L. Pennington } Guardian *ad litem* of the said infants.

STATE OF VIRGINIA,

County of Lee } ss.

Sworn to before me in my County aforesaid by R. L. Pennington  
guardian *ad litem* as aforesaid, this the 5th day of June A. D. 1896.

James W. Orr Com. in N. P.  
Chancery for Circuit Court  
Lee Co. Va.



*J. O. Gibson*

vs.

ANSWER OF INFANT DEFENDANTS BY  
THEIR GUARDIAN AD LITEM, AND  
ANSWER OF THE GUARDIAN AD  
LITEM FOR THE INFANTS.

*W. P. Weston & Son et als.*

Filed *June 5th* 1896.

*A. J. Munsey*



J. Q. Gibson Deft.  
against J. E. Lehanery  
M. E. Blankenship et al. Defts

This Cause came on this day to be heard upon the papers formerly read in the Cause, the report of Commissioner James W. Orr, showing his disbursements of the purchase money, and execution of a deed made to the purchaser <sup>M. E. Blankenship</sup> and filed with his said report, <sup>March 11<sup>th</sup> 1901</sup> and was argued by counsel.

On consideration of which, the Court doth approve and confirm said report of disbursements and deed filed therewith, And it is further adjudged, ordered and decreed that the purchaser pay to Commissioner James W. Orr the sum of \$5.50 for executing said deed, And nothing further remaining to be done this Cause is stricken from the docket.



J. Q. Gibson Plff  
vs E. Deere Fincl  
M. E. Blaukenship et al.

Entered on C. O. B. 68537

Enter This

H. W. Deere

March 12th, 1901



J. O. Gibson, Plaintiff.

Against ( In Chancery.

W. P. Weston, Adm'r, etc., et als., Defendants.

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-----This cause came on again this day to be heard upon the papers formerly read therein and the report of James W. Orr, Commissioner, ~~filed~~ filed in the cause February 18th 1897, and was argued by counsel. And said report having been filed the time required by law and being unaccepted to, it is adjudged, ordered and decreed that said report and the sale therein reported be and are hereby confirmed ; and that said Commissioner pay those entitled the costs in ~~at~~ his hands, and that he go on and collect the purchase money notes when due, and pay out of ~~said~~ said fund to Mary E. Blankenship the \$20.50 shown by said report to be due to her , and the residue of said fund prorata on the debts reported in said cause against the estate of M. H. Crockett, deceased, and ~~when~~ when said purchase money is fully paid he will convey to said Mary E. Blankenship by deed with special warranty the ~~said~~ interest in the house and lot sold by him as Commissioner to her, being a moiety ~~thereof~~ thereof, and report his action to some future term of this court, ~~xx~~ and the cause is continued.



J. O. Gilson

vs } Deere No 3.

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W. P. Weston Attor. & C. S.

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Eu. C. B. p. 579.

Enter this deere.

At 2.11

March 4 / 897.



J. O. Gilson

against

W. P. Weston Adminr of M. D. Crockett.

deceased and others

Plffs

In Chan-  
-cery.

Defts

This cause came on again to be heard upon the papers formerly read in the cause and the report of Wm A Orr Jr, Special Commr, filed in the Cause on the 4th day of August 1896, and was argued by counsel. On consid-  
-eration thereof, and said report being un-  
-excepted to, It is adjudged, ordered and decreed that said report and statements thereinwith be and the same is hereby conf-  
-irmed, and that Mary E Blankenship recover against W. P. Weston administrator of the estate of M. D. Crockett deceased the sum of \$164.89 <sup>of which is for the benefit of A. L. Richmond</sup> with legal interest thereon from the 1st day of August 1896, until paid, and that B. H. Sew-  
-ell & S. V. H. Richmond, Administrators of the estate of M. D. Richmond deceased, recover against said Weston administrator as afore-  
-said \$103.47 with legal interest thereon from the 15th day of October 1893, until paid; and that J. O. Gilson for Preston Ledge to 47. A. H. & A. M., recover against said Weston administrator as aforesaid \$50.00 with legal interest thereon from the 18th day of July 1892 until paid; and that Lee & Crumell recover against said Weston administrator as aforesaid \$6.74 with legal interest



thereon from the 5th day of April 1894, until paid; and that H. C. Jeslyn recover against said Weston administrator as aforesaid, \$3.62 with legal interest thereon from the 5th day of October 1894, until paid; and that J. O. Gilson & Co recover against said Weston administrator as aforesaid, \$24.36 with legal interest thereon from the 13th day of January 1894, until paid; and that the plaintiff J. O. Gilson recover against said Weston administrator as aforesaid the costs of this suit, and unless said sums and costs are paid within thirty days from the rising of this Court, then James W Orr who is appointed a Commissioner for the purpose will proceed to sell at the front door of the Court house of this County, on some Court day, to the highest bidder, an a credit of one, two and three years time, an undivided one half of the lot of land in said report of Commissioner Wm A Orr Sr, mentioned, free from ~~the~~ dower in kind of the widow of said M. W. Crockett deceased, it appearing, from the report of said Commissioner, that she releases her dower in kind, and prefers to take the value of her dower interest in said moiety of said <sup>lot</sup> in money out of the proceeds of the sale thereof, in lieu of said dower, except so much as is necessary to pay the costs



of this suit and the expense of sale will be required to be paid in hand, and for the residue bonds with good security will be required of the purchaser bearing interest from date. Said Commissioner before selling will advertise the time, terms and place of sale for at least thirty days by written advertisements at the front door of the Court house of this County and in the vicinity of said real estate, and will execute bond before the clerk of this Court in the sum of \$400<sup>00</sup> Conditioned according to law, and will report his action to the next term of this Court, and will also ascertain and report, at the same time, the interest of <sup>widow of M. H. Crockett deceased</sup> Mary E. Blankenship, in the amount of said sale, on account of her dower interest in the said moiety of said lat. And the Cause is Continued.



Debits & Int to Aug 10/896  
\$390.16  
Costs of suit 40.75-  
\$430.91

1 + 3/4 -

Sell an undivided 1/2  
of the property;  
1.20 3 yrs time.

Purchaser G. W. Blount  
\$128 - Feb 15/97

J. O. Gilson  
vs Decree No 2.

W. P. Weston Adm<sup>al</sup> & Co.  
Entered in O.R. No 4  
pages 464-5

\$126

Enter this decree.

W. J. M.

Nov 6 1896,



J. O. Gibson, Plaintiff.

Against ( In Chancery. ( Decree # 1. )

W. P. Weston, Adm'r., et al., Defendants.

-----This cause came on this day to be heard upon the bill of the plaintiff and the exhibit filed therewith, the ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ answer of ~~A. L. Bridgmore~~ *H. O. Patton R. L. Runnington*, Guardian Ad Litem for the infant defendants, and process executed upon Mary E. Blankenship and W. P. Weston, Administrator, etc., and was argued by counsel: On consideration ~~whereof~~ whereof the bill is taken for confessed as to them. The Court further adjudges, orders and decrees that William A. Orr, Sr., who is appointed a Commissioner for the purpose do state and settle the account of W. P. Weston, Administrator de bonis non of the estate of M. H. Crockett, deceased, and the administration account of Mary E. ~~Blankenship~~ Blankenship, nee Crockett, administratrix of said estate; that he ascertain the debts against said estate, amounts and to whom due and the real estate belonging to the said M. H. Crockett at the time of his ~~death~~ death, and he will report any other facts deemed pertinent by him or required by any person interested. He will give at least ten days notice to the parties interested of the time and place of his sitting. And the cause is continued.



J. O. Gibson

vs } *Deane* No. 1

*W. P. Weston, Administrator*

*Q. B. P. 438*

*Enter*

*W. P. Weston*  
*June 5th 1896*

*W. P. Weston, Admin'r., et al., Defendants.*  
*vs* *J. O. Gibson, Plaintiff.*  
*(Deane & T.)*



(In Two)

Virginia

At a circuit court continued and held for Lee County at the Court-house thereof on Friday June 5<sup>th</sup> 1896.

J O Gibson

Plff

vs

W. P. Weston admr et al Defts

} In chy

This cause come on this day to be heard upon the bill of the plff and the exhibit filed therewith the answer of R. L. Pennington Guardian ad litem for the infant defendants and process executed upon Mary E Blankenship and W. P. Weston admr etc. and was argued by Counsel On consideration whereof the bill is taken for confessed as to them.

The Court further adjudgeth, Orders and decrees that William A Orr, Jr who is appointed a Commissioner for the purpose do State and settle the account of W. P. Weston administrator de bonis non of the estate of M. H. Crockett deceased and the administration account of Mary E Blankenship nee Crockett administratrix of said estate; that he ascer-



tain the debts against said estate amounts and to whom due, and the real estate belonging to the said M.H. Lerockett at the time of his death, and he will report, any other facts deemed pertinent by him, or required by any person interested. He will give at least ten days notice to the parties interested of the time and place of his sitting. And the cause is continued.

A Copy Teste

A.B. Munsey Clerk

J. O. Gibson  
vs. Copy of Deed

W. P. Custon, Admin. et al.



Virginia:- In the circuit court of Lee County.

J. D. Gibson

vs

In Chancery.

W. P. Weston, Admin et al

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Mary E. Crockett, Admin. of M. H. Crockett, dec'd

1893

In account with said estate.

Dr. 9

July 19<sup>th</sup> To note on J. W. Munsey (bal of Pr)

11 35

" Interest on this note to Aug 1<sup>st</sup>; 1896

1 50

1894

Jan'y 24<sup>th</sup> " Cash collected from Leas McNeil

5 00

" Interest on same to August 1<sup>st</sup> 1896

75

Feb'y 1<sup>st</sup> " Cash Collected from Peter Parkey

50

" Interest on same

07

" 2<sup>nd</sup> " Cash collected from George Carter

2 00

" Interest thereon

30

" " " Cash collected from Ed Russell

8 00

" Interest thereon

1 20

" 23<sup>rd</sup> " Cash collected from A. J. Pittors

15 00

" Interest thereon

2 19

Mar' 7<sup>th</sup> " Cash collected from M. Livingstons

1 78

" Interest thereon

21

" 10<sup>th</sup> " Cash collected from Dr. Wm Baker

1 00

" Interest thereon

12

" 8<sup>th</sup> " Cash collected from Bato Morrison

14 20

" Interest thereon

1 70

" " " Cash from Dr. Wm Baker

7 00

" Interest on same

84

Ant' for'd

\$747 1



1894		Amt brat for'd		\$7471 <sup>9</sup>
Mar	12 <sup>th</sup>	To	Cash collected from Jas. Geary	3 50
"	"	"	Interest Union	50
"	17 <sup>th</sup>	"	Cash from P. M. Reason	14 00
"	"	"	Interest Union	1 96
"	31 <sup>st</sup>	"	Cash from Frank Wilson	25
Apr	9 <sup>th</sup>	"	" " J. H. Graham	16 40
"	"	"	Interest on Loan	2 26
"	13 <sup>th</sup>	"	Cash from Hagen Bidemore	81 29
"	"	"	Interest on Loan	10 56
May	19 <sup>th</sup>	"	Cash from Jarvis Wink	50
"	"	"	Interest on Loan	87
July	9 <sup>th</sup>	"	Jesse Anderson Note	10 00
"	"	"	Interest on Loan	1 39
Oct	24 <sup>th</sup>	"	J. J. Carter deb't	6 00
"	"	"	Interest Union	57
"	"	"	Jesse Anderson deb't	3 00
"	"	"	Interest Union	29
Amount of Debits				\$227 25

Credits.

1893		By amt paid for Taxes	4 49
1894		Int from from 1st Dec '93	71
July	27 <sup>th</sup>	By amt paid H. B. Graham, Adm'r	177 00
"	"	Int on Loan	21 24
Apr	5 <sup>th</sup>	amt paid L. & Crowell	5 00
"	"	Int on Loan	69
Oct	5 <sup>th</sup>	amt paid J. D. Gibson & Co	10 00
"	"	Int on Loan	99



1894			
Mch 16~	By amount paid Cook & Son	4 95	
" "	" Int. on same	64	
" 3~	" amt paid Andrew Cowen & Co	40 96	
" "	" int on same	5 73	
Oct 5th	" amt paid W. C. Joslyn	3 00	
" "	" Int on same	31	
" 1st	" amt paid S. A. Henderson	13 87	
" "	" Int on same	1 44	
Apr 3~	" amt paid M. H. Jamison	25 00	
" "	" Int on same	3 50	
Oct 15~	" amt paid Mrs. S. J. Richmond	6 00	
" "	" Int on same	60	
Dec. 1st	" 1/2 of Int on lot-	1 80	
" "	" interest on same	16	
1895			
May 19 (1896)	" 1/2 Long ticket on lot-	2 52	
" "	" interest thereon	03	
1893			
Feby 28 -	" amt paid W. S. Cronell for Coffee	20 00	
" "	" Int on same	3 90	
1895			
Jan'y 1st	" amount paid J. O. Gibson & Co	25 00	
" "	" Int on same	82	
1894			
Jan'y 25~	" amt paid Dr. H. W. Miles	3 65	
" "	" Int thereon	55	
Oct 1st	" amt paid M. C. Sprinkle	1 00	
" "	" Int on same	10	
Mch 6~ 1895	" amt paid on note to J. O. Gibson & Co	5 00	
" "	" Int on same	49	
Amt of Debits and Credits		227 25	391 14
1896, Aug 1st	Bal due Mary E. Crockett Adm'r		164 89



Statement of Debts due from the Estate of M. H.  
 Crockett, deceased, as of Aug 1st, 1896. <sup>Int + Pr</sup>  
 Mary E. Crockett, Adminr, amt over paid <sup>Int + Pr</sup> \$ 164 89

1893 Oct 18~	Swell & Richmond Admins of M. D. Richmond	103 47	
	Interest on same to Aug 1st 1896	17 27	120 74
1892, July 18~	J. O. Gibson for Ruston Lodge No 47 (note)	50 00	
	Interest on same	12 10	62 10
1894, Apr 5~	Lucius Crockett, bal' of a/c	67 4	
	Interest on same	93	7 67
1894, Oct 5~	H. C. Joslyn, bal' of a/c	3 62	
	Int on a/c	40	4 02
1894 Jan'y 13~	J. O. Gibson & Co bal' pr. on note	24 36	
	Interest on note	6 38	30 74
Amount of debts			\$ 390 16
Less of this Suit			40 75
Total			\$ 430 87



"Dower"

Virginia: In the circuit court of Lee County.

J. D. Gibson

vs

In Chy.

Wm P Weston Admin et al

To Wm A. Orr, Special Commissioner in the above  
styled cause:

I hereby request you to report to  
the Court that I want money in lieu of Dower  
in kind out of the proceeds of the sale of the  
real estate of M. H. Crockett, deceased. Given  
under my hand and seal, this August-  
1st, 1896. I was 34 yr old on the 29 day of May 1896.

Mary E. Blankenship. Seal  
nee Mary E. Crockett.



J. O. Gibson vs W. P. Weston, Admin et al - In Chy.

To the Hon. W. J. Miller, Judge of the Circuit Court of Lin Co., Va:  
Your undersigned comes in the above styled cause, appointed June 5th, 1896, before him to report; that he executed said decree on July 24th and succeeding days; that he first gave notice to all the persons in interest; that no estate came into the hands of W. P. Weston, Admin - having been appointed for the sole purpose of this suit; that he settles the account of Mary E. Blankenship nee Mary E. Crockett, Admin of the Estate of M. H. Crockett, deceased, and, said Settlement shows that she has now paid said estate estate the sum of \$164.89 as of August 1st, 1896; that he has ascertained the debts (and costs of this suit) against said Crockett's Estate and finds that the same amounts to the sum of \$430.87 on Aug. 1st, 1896. The Statement of debts hereto attached shows the amounts and to whom due.

At the time of M. H. Crockett's death, he owned one half of one and seven eighths of one acre of land in the west end of Joursville, Va, on which G. W. Blankenship now lives. The said Crockett's widow, now, Mary E. Blankenship owns the other half of said lot, and she also owns down in the other moiety. Down has not been assigned, nor has said lot been partitioned. The said widow authorizes me in writing (here filed marked "Down") to Report that she desires to release her down in kind and take in lieu thereof down in money out of the proceeds of the sale - and she states that she is now thirty four years old.

Your commission has not ascertained the market value of this property for the reason that he believes the creditors to be entitled to a sale thereof under the Statute which gives them a lien.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Wm A. Orr, Jr.,  
Special Commissioner.



J. O. Gibson

vs } Leonie's Report

Wm. P. Weston, Admin et al

Filed August the 4<sup>th</sup> 1896  
A. B. Munsey Clerk

For

Wm. A. Orr, Sr., S. Leonie \$9.75



Virginia,

In the Circuit Court of Lee County.

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J. O. Gibson,-----Plaintiff.

----Against--(--In Chancery. ( Commissioner's Report of Sale.)

W. P. Weston, Adm'r, etc., et als, Defendants.  
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To the Hon. W. T. Miller, Judge of said Court:

-----The undersigned Commissioner in this cause respectfully reports, that pursuant to the decree therein rendered on the 6th day of November 1896, and after having advertised as in said decree directed, he proceeded at the front door of the Court House of said County in Jonesville, on the 15th day of <sup>February</sup> ~~March~~ 1897, a court day, to sell to the highest bidder, at public out-cry, the undivided one-half of the house and lot in the said decree mentioned, upon the terms in said decree directed, at which sale Mary E. Blankenship bid the sum of \$128.00 for said interest, and this being the highest and best bid offered, the same was knocked off to her at that price, and she thereupon paid down to your Commissioner \$40.75 the costs of suit, and \$6.40 his commission on said sale, and for the residue of \$80.85 she executed to your Commissioner her three several notes, with George W. Blankenship, her security, for \$26.95 each, and payable in one, two and three years after date, with interest from date.

And your Commissioner, as directed in said decree, has ascertained the value of the dower interest of said Mary E. Blankenship, who is the late widow of M. H. Crockett, deceased, in the said \$80.85, the net amount of said sale, <sup>after payment of costs &c</sup> and finds her interest therein, she being 34 years old, to be \$20.50. This <sup>February</sup> ~~March~~ the 17th 1897.

Very Respectfully,

James W. Orr  
Commissioner.



J. C. Gibson

vs { Com'r J. W. Orr  
Report of Sale.

W. P. Weston, Admin'r, &c., et al.

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Filed February 17<sup>th</sup> 1897.

A. B. Munsey Clerk







J. O. Gilson

vs  $\frac{1}{2}$  Cour Orr's Refut.

M. E. Blankenship et al

Filed Mar 12<sup>th</sup> 1901.

A. B. Munsey Clerk



H. C. Joslyn

Seville & the Rhinoceros.  
adms D.B. H. of Ex. Cat. of M. & Rhinoceros  
B. H. Seville.

J. O. Gibson

W. D. Crowell  
by W. E. Orr

J. O. Gibson & Co.



J. O. Gilson

vs { Rights of Creditors

M. E. Blakeuship et al.



Feb 17th 1891.

Amount of purchase money due from  
Mrs Blankenship after she retains  
\$20.50 for value of dammer as of  
day of sale, Feb 17th 1897. \$60.35-  
Amount of debts as of August  
1st 1896 - - - \$390.16

Interest on \$60.35 - four years. 14.48

Amount for creditors pro rata \$74.83

To Mr Blankenship on her debt 19 1/6% \$31.60

" Sewell Richmond & Adams 23.16

" J. O. Gilson for Preston Lodge 11.91

" Lee & Cromwell 1.48

" H. C. Jashin .78

" J. O. Gilson & Co 5.90

\$74.83

Of Mrs Blankenship retains

Amount due her on her debt 31.60

\$43.23

11.91

1.48

5.90

\$19.29



Mrs Blenkinship  
Calculation  
on Lat & C.



\$ 58.99

Janesville, Va., Jan 13 " 1894

One day after date I promise and bind myself, legal heirs and representatives, to pay to JAMES O. GIBSON & CO., the sum of

Fifty Eight dollars, and 99 cents, with legal interest thereon from Jan 1<sup>st</sup> " 1894.

I hereby waive the benefit of all homestead, personal property and exemption laws as to this debt. Witness my hand & seal.

M. H. Crockett

SEAL



Jan 14<sup>th</sup> 1895 By check  
over paid a/c \$19.63

Mar 6<sup>th</sup> 1895 By check ~~\$5.20~~

May 15<sup>th</sup> 92 By cash 10.00

9.63 960.

158 99

M. H. Brock



Virginia: In the circuit Court of Lee County.

J. O. Gibson

vs

J. In Chancery

W. P. Weston, Admin & C., et al

I, Wm A. Orr, Special Commissioner in the above styled  
Cause do certify that John R. Gibson made oath before me that  
the attached note is just; due, and unpaid, except as to the  
credits endorsed thereon; and that Mary E. Crockett, Admin  
of M. H. Crockett, deceased, paid each of said credits.  
This July 25<sup>th</sup>, 1896.

Wm A. Orr, Sr.,

Special Commissioner.



J. D. Gibson & Co

Balance Note

~~\$30.74~~

Aug 1<sup>st</sup> 1896

Allowed



	The Estate of M. H. Crockett	
<u>1893</u>	To H. C. Joslyn	\$
March 30 & 31	To Plowing and harrowing lat 1 1/4 days at \$2.50 per day	3.12
Sept 18	To feeding hay 6 weeks	.50
Dec 1	To Pasturing 2 Cows season of 1893.	6.00
		<u>\$ 9.62</u>
	See By Bill of Repairs &c	3.00
		<u>\$ 6.62</u>

Virginia Lee County To-wit:  
 This day H. C. Joslyn. personally  
 appeared before me and made  
 oath that the above account  
 against the estate of M. H. Crockett  
 acct. for a balance of \$6.62 is  
 justly due him from said  
 estate, given under my  
 hand this 9<sup>th</sup> day of April 1894,  
 J. V. F. Richmond Clerk



C. B. H. 3<sup>00</sup>  
Oct 5 1894.

H. C. Joslyn  
apc

allowed



O. C. LEE.

M H Crockett

W. S. CROWELL.

In Account with **LEE & CROWELL,**MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN  
TIN AND SHEET IRON WARE.

COOK STOVES,

**Roofing and Guttering a Specialty**

FURNITURE,

HEATING STOVES, AND STOVE REPAIRS. AGENT FOR LONGMAN & MARTINEZ PURE PAINTS, OILS, &C.  
CHAMBER SUITS, CHAIRS, ROCKERS, MATRASSES &C.

1894

Jonesville, Va.,

189

Apr 5 - To Wm Lee

28 44

" " By

21 70

Balance Due

4 74

Virginia: In the Circuit Court of Lee County  
I certify that O. C. Lee appeared  
before me and made oath that the  
above account of \$6.74 is just,  
due and unpaid. This July 3<sup>rd</sup> 1896.

Wm A. Orr, Sr.,  
Special Commissioner.



Lu Heronell

ad \$6.74

M. Heronell

allowed



1 The Estate of M. D. Crockett deceased  
2 1893 To Sewell & Richmond adms of M. D. Richmond Dr  
Oct 3 To Balance due on account \$ 103.47  
4 Just from Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1893.  
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6 Virginia: In the circuit court of Lee County.

7 I, Wm A. Orr, Sr, Special Commissioner in  
8 the chancery cause of J. O. Gibson vs W. P. Westero, Admin  
9 et al, do certify that S. V. F. Richmond one of the Admin  
10 of M. D. Richmond, deceased, appeared before me and  
11 made oath that the above account is just, due, and  
12 unpaid; and that the account was closed  
13 by the death of M. H. Crockett. This July 3<sup>rd</sup>  
14 1896.

15 Wm A. Orr, Sr,  
16 Special Commissioner.  
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32 31 M. D. Richmond's Admis 23 22 21 20 19 18 17 16 15 14 13

vs } apc

M. H. Crockett's Est

Allowed

J. O. Gibson

vs } In chy

W. P. Weston, Admis  
et al



#348

Virginia: In the Circuit Court of Lee County.

J. O. Gibson

vs } In Chancery

Wm. Weston, Adm'r &c. et al

I, Wm. A. Orr, Special Commissioner in  
the above styled cause, do hereby certify  
that Mary E. Blankenship nee Mary E. Crockett  
Adm'x of the Estate of W. H. Crockett, deceased,  
appeared before me in said County (Lee)  
and made oath that she paid Dr. H. M.  
Niles the Sum of Three dollars and  
sixty five cents - which debt she then  
and now knows to be just and  
unpaid; that she paid said debt  
on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1894.



Dr. H. M. Miles



MR. Lockett Milton Jr.  
1891.

District No. 2

TO J. P. GRAHAM, TREASURER OF LEE COUNTY, VA. DR.

TRACTS.		State Tax 30 cents on the \$100.	State School Tax, 10 cents on the \$100.	Co. School Tax, 10 cents on the \$100.	Dist. School Tax, 10 cents on the \$100.	Road Tax, 15 cents on the \$100.	County Levy 40 cents on the \$100.	TOTAL AMOUNT OF TAXES.
To <u>17</u> acres land, val. <u>300</u>		<u>90</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>300</u>
Property, income, etc. <u>120</u>		<u>36</u>						<u>36</u>
Capitation Tax, . . <u>1</u>		<u>100</u>	<u>12</u>					<u>112</u>
County School Tax, .				<u>12</u>				<u>12</u>
District School Tax, .					<u>12</u>	<u>18</u>		<u>30</u>
State School Tax, . .							<u>80</u>	<u>80</u>
Total, . . .								<u>570</u>



No. 1



Jonesville, Va. *July 27<sup>th</sup>* 1894

No. *6*

# POWELL'S VALLEY BANK

*(of J. P. Graham deceased)*

Pay to *N. B. Graham, Administrator* of Order \$ *177.00*

*One hundred & seventy seven* ————— *Dollars*

*amt due on note of July 1894*  
*due July 18- 1894-* *Mary E. Crockett*  
*Last payment on house & lot* *Administratrix*  
*of M. E. Crockett deceased*



H B Graham  
Admrs.  
of J. P. Graham  
Decd,

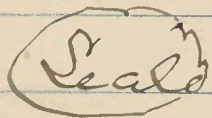
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\$150<sup>00</sup>

Three years after date I  
promise to pay John P. Graham one  
hundred & fifty dollars with interest  
for value received. And as to this debt  
I hereby waive the benefit of the  
homestead exemption. Witness  
my hand & seal this 18<sup>th</sup> day  
of July 1891.

M. H. Crockett





M. H. Crockett  
Note \$150.00  
due July 18<sup>th</sup>  
1894

Oct 2

\$150.00  
Int. 27.25-  
177.25-



~~\$5.00~~

Rec'd of M. E. Crockett, adm'r of  
M. H. Crockett, deceased, Five Dollars  
on account of said M. H. Crockett,  
deceased. This April 5, 1894.

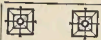
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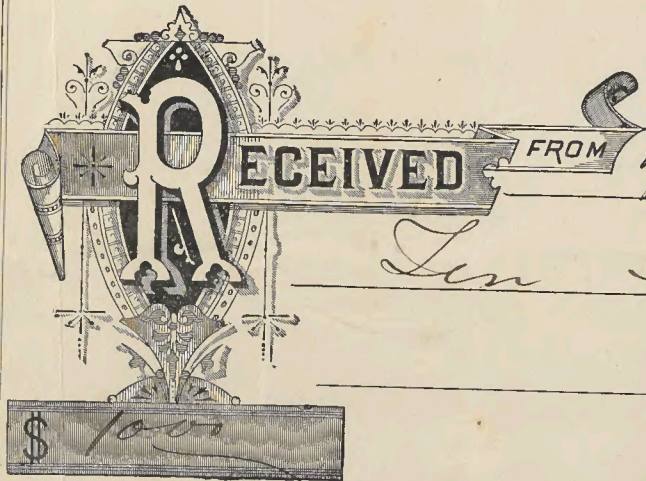
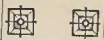
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J. O. Gibson & Co.



Jonesville, Va., Oct 5 1894

Mrs M. S. Crookette

Ten Dollars

J. O. Gibson & Co.

FROM BROS., PRINT, 170 & 172 CHAMBERS ST., N. Y.



No. 4



Milton L. Crockett Dr

To Cash & Jan

Oct 3 1893 To setting skin \$1.95 = \$1.95  
To setting \$5.25 = \$5.25  
\$7.20

Or By paid and bill  
Dickson Russell \$1.00

Dec 22 our order Lambun \$1.10

Cost

, 2.15 = 2.15

March 15 1894 Balus Out \$4.95

Sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of Mar/94.  
H. C. Foslyn J. P.



No 5-

Mrs Lib Crockett

Adm

Dr T. Gault & son

\$4.95-

Received

Com \$4.95-

March 16 1894

Gault & son

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Jonesville, Va. *Mar 3* 1894

No. *1*

# POWELL'S VALLEY BANK

Pay to *Andrew Cowan & Co* or Order \$ *40.96*  
*Forty* *.96* Dollars

*auth due on 1 00*  
*bill bought Nov 16 - 1893 - M. E. Crockett (administrator)*



No. 6

J. F. GLINN,  
Richmond, Va.  
Merchants National Bank

MAR 9 1894

FOR COLLECTION

Andrew Coward & Co

For Collection, for Account of  
CITY NATIONAL BANK,  
KNOXVILLE, TENN.  
Wm. S. SHIELDS, President.

Pay MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK,  
RICHMOND, VA., OR ORDER FOR ACCT. OF  
U. S. NATIONAL BANK, N. Y





RECEIVED

from Mary E. Crockett Adams

& M. H. Crockett

Three

Dollars



H. C. Joslyn

Oct 6th 1894.



(77)





Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 189~~4~~

Received from Mary E. Crockett Adams  
of W. H. Crockett

Thirteen  $\frac{87}{100}$  Dollars



S. A. Henderson



(8)





Apr 3<sup>rd</sup> 189~~8~~

Received from Mary E. Crockett Adams

J. H. Crockett

Five

Dollars

To balance on a watch purchased by said  
husband

\$10<sup>00</sup>

H. O. Ballou



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**Received**

Apr. 3 - 1894

from Mary E. Crockett Bolney

J. M. H. Crockett

Twenty five

Dollars



M. A. Jamison



(167)



Oct 15<sup>th</sup> 1894

Received from Mary E. Crockett Adams  
of M. H. Crockett  
Five ————— Dollars



Mrs S. J. Richmond  
By B. H. Sewell,



(11)

Mr. *Milton H. Crockett's Est* JONESVILLE DISTRICT.

No. 2

To J. A. G. HYATT, Treasurer of Lee County, Virginia, Dr.

No. P <i>4</i>	No. L <i>19</i>	1894.	State Tax 30 cts. on \$100.	State sch'l tax 10 cts on \$ .00	Co. Levy 40 cts. on \$100	Road Tax 20 cts. on \$100	Co, Sch'l tax 10 cts. on \$100	Dis. Sch'l tax 10 cts. on \$100	TOTAL AMT. OF TAXES,
Head Tax	Val.		<i>\$1.00</i>		<i>50</i>				<i>\$1.50</i>
Per. Prop.									
No. <i>1</i> Tracts	<i>300.</i>		<i>90</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>1.20</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>3.60</i>
<i>1/8</i> Acres									
Lots									
TOTAL									<i>3.60</i>
5 per cent pen'ty									

Received Payment

*11/26/94 J. A. G. Hyatt*

Treasurer,

*Mr H. E. H.*



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Mr. *M. H. Crockett* *West Jonesville* District.

No. *5*

To W. E. WYNN, Treasurer of Lee County, Virginia, Dr.

No. P	No. L	1895	State Tax 30 cts. on \$100	Sta'e sch'l tax 10 cts on \$100	Co. Levy 40 cts. on \$100	Road tax 20 cts. on \$100	Co. Sch'l tax 10 cts on \$100	Dis. Sch'l tax 10 cts. on \$100	TOTAL AMT. OF TAXES.
	<i>4</i>	<i>20</i>	<b>\$1 00</b>		<b>50</b>				<b>\$1 50</b>
Head Tax									
Per. Prop. No. Tracts									
<i>1 7/8</i> Acres	<i>400</i>	<i>1 20</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>1 40</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>4 80</i>	
Lots									
TOTAL									<i>4 80</i>
5 per cent pen'ty									<i>24</i>
<i>May 19 96</i>									<i>5.04</i>

Received Payment

*N. C. Warner*

Treasurer.



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Jonesville Va. Feb 28 1894  
Rec'd of Mrs. M. E. Crockett and  
Twenty Dollars, for Coffin:  
W. S. Crowell



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Jonesville, Va.

Jan 11<sup>th</sup> 1895

No.

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# POWELL'S VALLEY BANK

Pay to J. B. Gibson & Co

or Order \$ 25.00

Dollars

Twenty five

M. E. Crockett



J. O. Gibson Theo  
J. H. Seagle

(no. 15)



**Received**

Jan'y 25<sup>th</sup> 189~~4~~

from Mary E. Crockett Adams

of M. H. Crockett

Five <sup>65</sup> <sub>100</sub>

Dollars

This amount was paid by Sam Henderson repairing my saddle. M. H. Crockett owed this amount at the time of his death.



H. M. Miles, M.D.



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**RECEIVED**

Oct 12<sup>th</sup> - 1894

from Mary E. Crockett, Admrs

J. M. H. Crockett

One

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Dollars



M. C. Springer



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M. E. Crockett Adm-in op- with Estate M. H. Crockett,   
 ler

Jan 7 24	Cass McNeil	L	5 00				
Feb 1	Peter Parkey	L	50		✓	Dr Henderson	12 87
" 1 20	George Carter	L	2 00	Feb 28	W. S. Crowell	✓	20 00
" 1 22	Ed Russell	L	8 00	Jan 25	Dr Miles	✓	3 65
" 1 23	A. J. Sutton	L	15 00	Mar 3	A. Cowan & Co		40 96
Mar 17	M. Livingston	L	1 78	" 9	Taxes - 1893		5 99
" 1 10	Dr Baker	L	1 00	Mar 16	C. F. Cook		4 95
" 1 8	Bate Merriman	L	14 20	Apr 3	H. O. Bullow	✓	10 00
" 1 8	<del>M. Livingston</del>	<del>L</del>	<del>1 78</del>	" "	M. H. Jamison	✓	25 00
" 1 11	Dr Baker	L	7 00	May 19	Jarvis Mink		40 87
" 1 12	Jos. Yeary	L	3 50	July 28	H. B. Graham		177 00
" 1 17	P. M. Rasor	L	14 00	Oct 5	J. O. Gibson & Co		10 00
	31 Dr Frank Nelson	L	25	" "	Capt Joselyn	✓	3 00
Apr 9	J. W. Lusk	L	16 40	Nov 26	Taxes - 1894		3 60
" 13	A. Pridemore	L	81 29	Oct 15	For rent	✓	6 00
May 19	Jarvis Mink	L	5 0	Jan 11 95	J. O. Gibson & Co		25 00
July 9	Mr J. Anderson	✓	10 00	Mar 6	" " "		5 00
Oct 24	J. J. Carter		6 00	" 15	" " "		10 00
	Mr J. Anderson		3 00	Oct 1	S. A. Hudson	✓	1 00
1893	J. W. Munsey		11 35		Mitch Sprinkle		0 00
July 17	(Chas. Gardner)				Taxes '95		5 04
				April 5 1894	Lee & Crowell		5 00

~~also an amount to Lee & Crowell~~  
~~on another account - see their books.~~

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 11.35-



Mrs. Mary E. Crockett, Admirer

Voucher No 1 - 17

J. O. Gibson

vs

W. P. Weston, Admirer

In Chy

391.14

227.25

164.89

Wm. A. Orr, Esq

Special Comr

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

To the Sheriff of the County of Lee---Greeting:

We Command you, That you summon

*W P Weston Admr*  
*de bonis non of the estate of M H Crockett*  
*deceased, and Mary E Blankenship nee Crockett*  
*widow of said decedent Hill Crockett, Auburn*  
*Crockett, Carroll Crockett & Hal Crockett*  
to appear at the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Lee, at the rules to be held

for the said Court on the *1st* Monday in *May*, 189*6*, to answer a

bill in Chancery, exhibited against *them* in our said court by

*J O Gibson*

And have then there this writ. Witness, A. B. MUNSEY, Clerk of our said Court, at the court-

house, the *22nd* day of *April*, 189*6*, and in the

*120th* year of the Commonwealth.

*A B Munsey* Clerk.



J O Gibson

SUPENA.

vs

IN CHANCERY.

W P Weston adm et al

Or Blankenship p. q.

To 1st May Rules.

CIRCUIT COURT.

We accept legal service  
of the within summons this  
the 22nd day of April  
1896. W P

Mary E. Blankenship  
W. P. Weston adm